RESPONSE UNDER 37,6.F.R. 1.116

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1647

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In re:

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METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR THE TREATMENT OF PERIPHERAL

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May 14, 2004

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1.	I his is a petition for a	n extension of time for a t	otal period of four months to respond to the	.1e
Office	Action dated August 21	, 2003, for which a Notic	e of Appeal was filed on November 14, 200	13.
2.	Applicant is	a small entity;	other than a small entity.	
3.	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):			
	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for	
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity	
	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00	
	two months	\$420.00	\$210.00	
	three months	\$950.00	\$475.00	
\boxtimes	four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00	
	five months*	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00	
*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.				
	A check in the amount of \$1480 is enclosed.			
	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.			
\boxtimes	Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.			

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